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**"AN ACT CONCERNING COMPREHENSIVE CAMPAIGN FINANCE  
REFORM FOR STATE-WIDE CONSTITUTIONAL AND GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY OFFICES."**

1 Strike section 51 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu  
2 thereof:

3 "Sec. 51. Section 3-69a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

5 (a) [The] (1) For each fiscal year, except the fiscal year ending June  
6 30, 2006, the cash portion of all funds received under this part [,  
7 including the proceeds from the sale of property,] shall be deposited in  
8 the General Fund except as provided in section 3-62h.

9 (2) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, seventeen million dollars  
10 of the cash portion of all funds received under this part shall be  
11 deposited in the Citizens' Election Fund established in section 2 of this  
12 act. Except as provided in section 3-62h, for the fiscal year ending

13 June 30, 2006, the remainder of the cash portion of funds received  
14 under this part shall be deposited in the General Fund. As used in this  
15 subsection, "cash portion of all funds" includes the proceeds from the  
16 sale of property.

17 (b) All costs incurred in the administration of this part, except as  
18 provided in section 3-62h, and all claims allowed under this part shall  
19 be paid from the unappropriated resources of the General Fund."

20 Strike section 52 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu  
21 thereof:

22 "Sec. 52. (NEW) (*Effective January 1, 2006*) (a) If, for the fiscal year  
23 ending June 30, 2006, less than seventeen million dollars is available  
24 under section 3-69a of the general statutes, as amended by this act, for  
25 deposit in the Citizens' Election Fund established in section 2 of this  
26 act, a portion of the revenues from the tax imposed under chapter 208  
27 of the general statutes shall be deposited in said fund. The amount of  
28 said portion shall be the difference between seventeen million dollars  
29 and the amount of funds available under said section 3-69a for deposit  
30 in said fund during said fiscal year.

31 (b) If, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, or any fiscal year  
32 thereafter, less than sixteen million dollars is available under section  
33 501 of this act, for deposit in the Citizens' Election Fund established in  
34 section 2 of this act, a portion of the revenues from the tax imposed  
35 under chapter 208 of the general statutes shall be deposited in said  
36 fund. The amount of said portion shall be the difference between  
37 sixteen million dollars and the amount of funds available under said  
38 section 501 for deposit in said fund during such fiscal year."

39 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
40 internal references accordingly:

41 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage and applicable to taxable years*  
42 *commencing on or after January 1, 2006*) The Commissioner of Revenue  
43 Services shall transfer to the Citizens' Election Fund established

44 pursuant to section 2 of this act, an amount from each resident of this  
45 state who has a liability for the taxes owed pursuant to chapter 229 of  
46 the general statutes, after applying the credit available pursuant to  
47 section 12-704c of the general statutes, if applicable. The amount to be  
48 transferred shall be:

49 (1) For any (A) person who files a return under the federal income  
50 tax for such taxable year as an unmarried individual, (B) married  
51 individual filing separately, or (C) head of household, as defined in  
52 Section 2(b) of the Internal Revenue Code, the lesser of such person's  
53 total liability or twelve dollars;

54 (2) For any (A) husband and wife who file a return under the federal  
55 income tax for such taxable year as married individuals filing jointly,  
56 (B) person who files a return under the federal income tax as a  
57 surviving spouse, as defined in Section 2(a) of the Internal Revenue  
58 Code, (C) trust or estate, or (D) parties to a civil union, as defined in  
59 section 1 of public act 05-10, who file a joint return under chapter 229  
60 of the general statutes, the lesser of such person's total liability or  
61 twenty-four dollars."